Mid-Term Business Plan "FDR-1" Revised (Plan for the coming two years)

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Agenda

- Management vision / Review of the past three years
- Revision of the FDR-1 plan
 - -Objectives
 - -Changes in five areas
 - 1. Urgent total cost reduction
 - 2. Restructure product planning
 - 3. Restructure sales process and network
 - 4. Increase asset turnover
 - 5. Leaner corporate structure
- Other matters
- Summary: Revised Target figures

Management Vision

- Small in size, but strong market presence
- Establish a sustainable business model of high profitability with automobiles as core business

Operating Income Ratio of more than 8% and ROA of more than 10% by 2010



Achieving vision

- Innovate with our unique technologies
- Laser focus on investment choices
- Cost reduction to ensure competitive price and profitability
- Automobiles of driving pleasure, with a sense of security and environmental consciousness

Driving Performance To all customers, by all models, provide: Driving Pleasure & Sense of Security

Evolution of Subaru's Premium Brand Strategy

Cause of profit decline

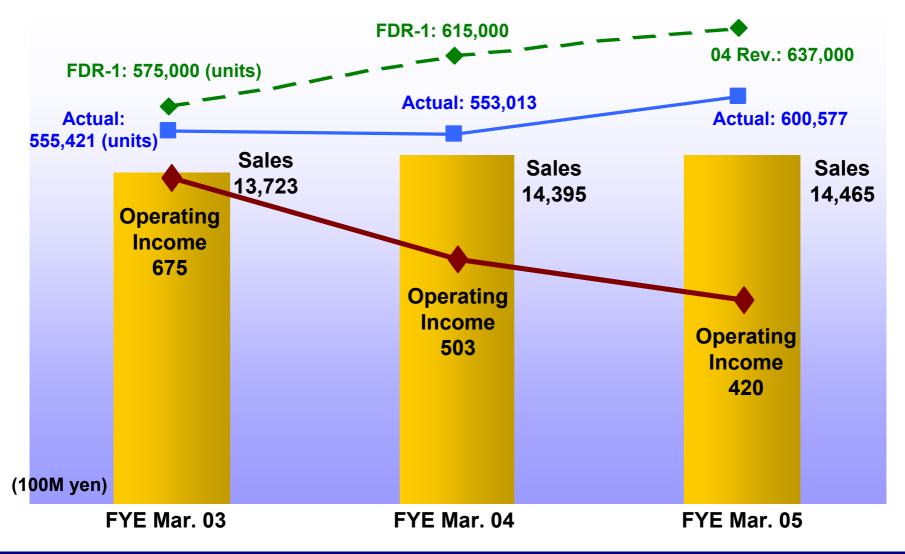
- 1. Overly optimistic sales volume plan
- 2. Unable to recover additional cost in product development
- 3. Competition tougher than expected



Urgent need of better balance of volume, cost, and price

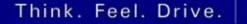
Overview of the first three years of FDR-1

Units shortfall and model mix deterioration





FDR-1 Revised



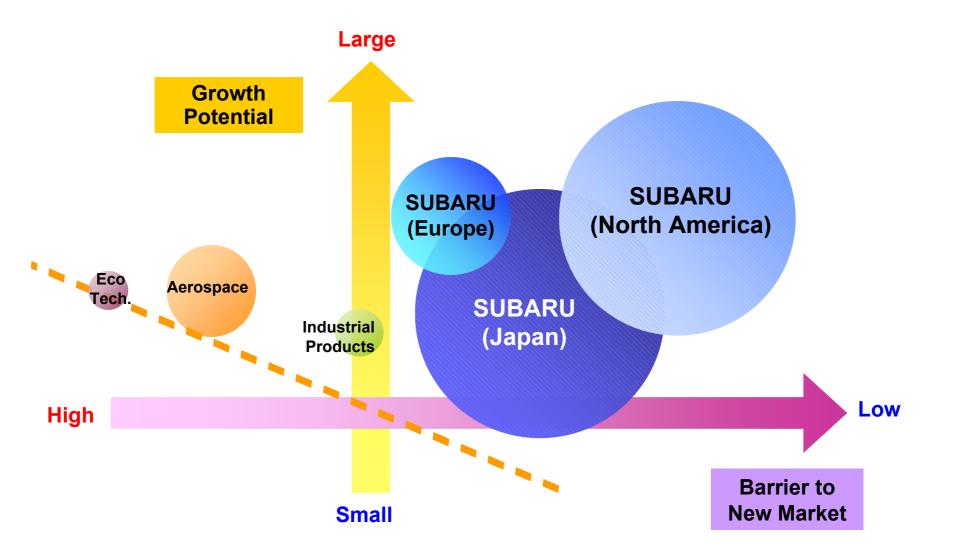


FDR-1 Rev. Objectives for the coming two years

Changes to improve profit



Business Portfolio Overview



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FDR-1 Revision

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1. Urgent total cost reduction

Start of TSR (Total cost structure revolution)

<Vehicles under development >

- 1) Yen 100,000 / unit cost reduction target - Increase participation in GM Global Purchasing
- 2) 30% reduction of tooling and development costs

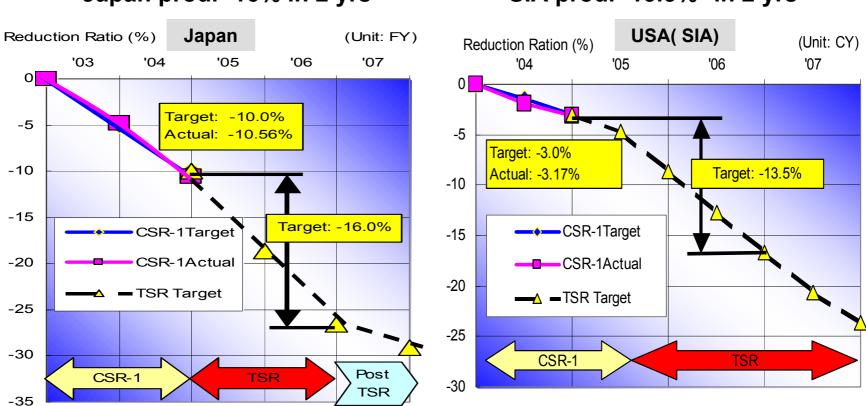


1. Urgent total cost reduction

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<Vehicles in production>

Reduction of direct material costs – Results and Plan



Japan prod. -16% in 2 yrs

SIA prod. -13.5% in 2 yrs

Active leveraging of GM Global Purchasing





2. Restructure product planning

- 1) More market orientation
- 2) More realistic business cases
- 3) More platform/component sharing
- 4) Thorough benchmarking
- 5) Shorter development time
- 6) Pursue collaboration with GM advanced engineering

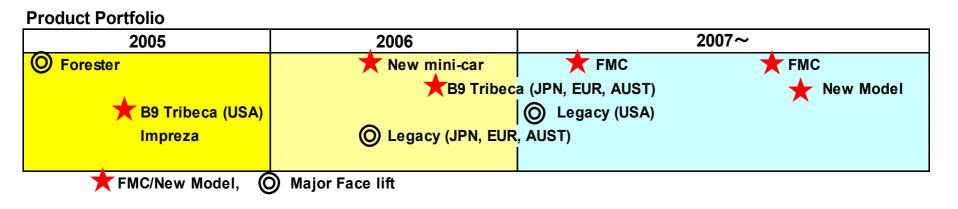


2. Restructure product planning

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- 1) Export B9 Tribeca from United States
- 2) Pull ahead the launch of a new mini-car
- 3) Evolution and sharing of the Legacy platform
- 4) Co-development of a new crossover vehicle for SAAB
- 5) Advanced engineering projects:

Horizontally opposed diesel, hybrid, battery for HEV



3. Restructure sales process and network - U.S.

1) Appoint new dealers / Strengthen the current network

	2004	2006	Changes
Total dealers	581	608	+27
Exclusive and Separate Showroom Dealers	379	415	+36
%	65%	68%	
Subaru "Signature Facility" Showroom	285	385	+100
%	49%	63%	
Sales unit per outlet	321	371	+16%

Target: 250,000 units with 630 dealers

- 2) Reorganize SOA's regional responsibility
 - Focus on the sunbelt market area
- 3) Autonomous dealer development organization

3. Restructure sales process and network - Japan

- 1) Regional block management of dealers and job consolidation
 - Utilize "Partner 21" dealer network system
 - A regional holding company to consolidate subsidiary dealers
- 2) Major upgrade in quality of sales and service
 - Priority on the customer interface
 - Target high ranking in the outside institution's survey



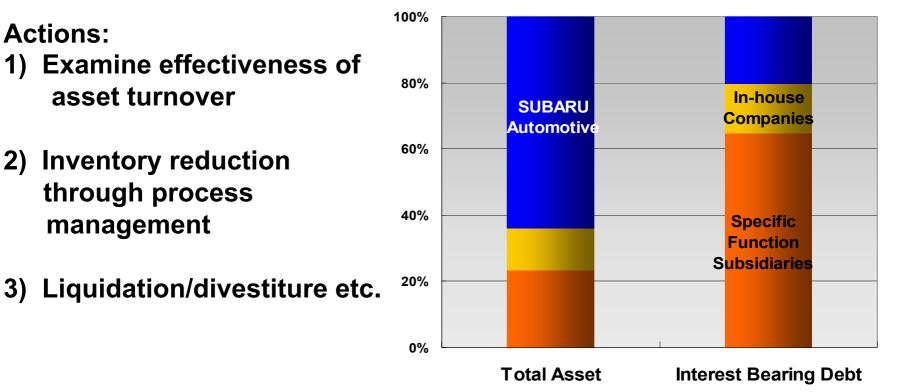
- 1) Expansion of Subaru Europe functions
- 2) More direct involvement with major distributors for stronger sales promotions
- 3) Competitive pricing by innovative logistics
- 4) Increase dealers 974 in 2004 ⇒ 1,140 in 2006 (+ 166)
- 5) Target new areas: Central and Eastern Europe, CIS



4. Increase asset turnover

By FYE March 2008:

- 1) Total asset reduction at 10% (Yen 1,357 Bill. at Mar 05)
- 2) Interest bearing debt reduction at 20% (Yen 412 Bill. at Mar 05)



%of Total Asst and Interest Bearing Debt

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4. Increase asset turnover

- 1) Revenue and profit increasing
- 2) Strict focus on capital spending
- 3) Review business portfolio every year

(million yen / %)

		Aerospace		Industrial Products		Eco Technology	
FYE	Sales	59,434	-	38,899	-	6,491	-
Mar/05	Ope. Income	54	0.1%	583	1.5%	-431	-6.6%
FYE Mar/06	Sales	81,610	-	39,200	-	7,260	-
	Ope. Income	2,090	2.6%	620	1.6%	20	0.3%
FYE Mar/07	Sales	82,730	-	39,900	-	9,170	-
	Ope. Income	3,370	4.1%	640	1.6%	60	0.7%
Outlook		Recovering demand in Commercial Business (Boeing, etc.) , Increasing sales of Defence Business		Expanding major OEM contracts mainly in US		Securing the top market share of Fuji Mighty	



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5. Leaner corporate structure

- 1) More efficient and effective human resources management and throughout group companies
- 2) External board member to strengthen corporate governance
- 3) Tighter internal control / audits



Other matters

- 1) Dividend policy:
 - Stable through FYE Mar. 2007
 - Consolidated payout ratio afterwards
- 2) Foreign exchange rate hedging: pursuing natural hedges by exports from U.S.
- 3) Contingency plan in place in case of stronger yen



Summary (Revised target figures)



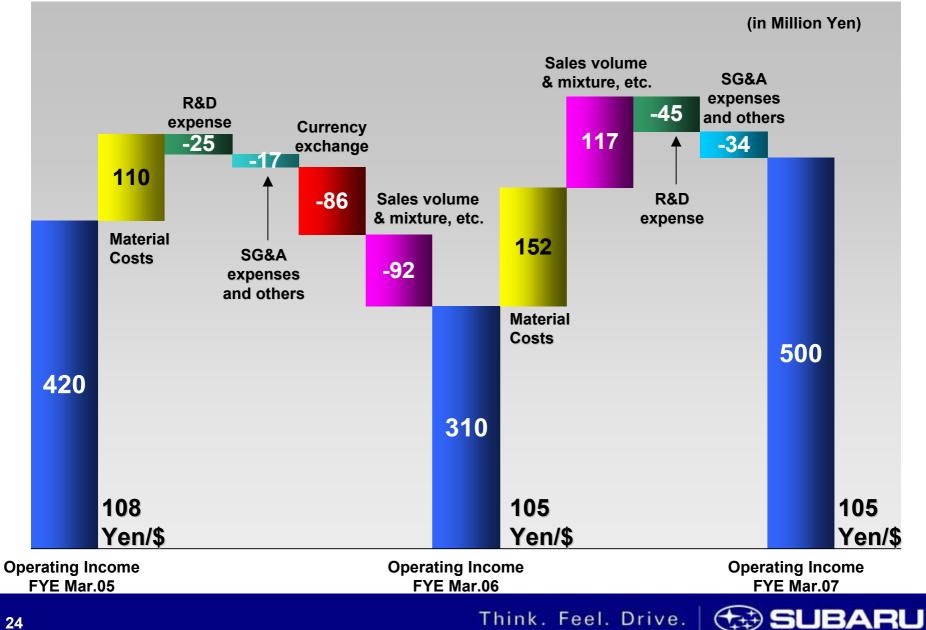


FDR-1 Revised plan

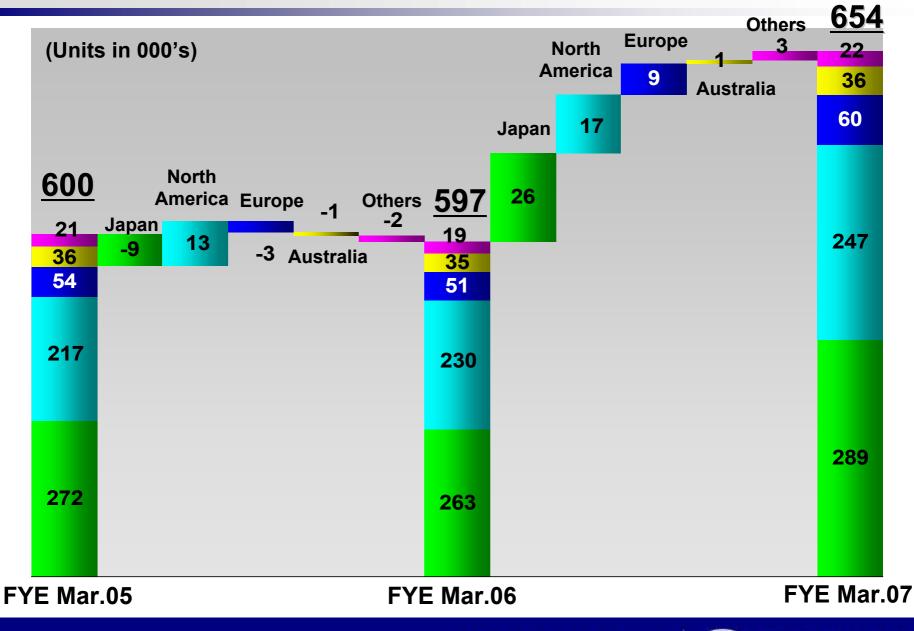
Last year's plan (In 100 Million Yen) Revised plan (In 100 Million Yen)							Million Yen)
Fiscal Year	Mar.05	Mar.06	Mar.07	Fiscal Year	Mar. 05	Mar. 06	Mar.07
					Actual		
Sales	14,700	16,000	17,200	Sales	14,465	14,700	15,800
Operating Income	450	680	910	Operating Income	420	310	500
Ordinary Income	470	570	850	Ordinary Income	436	270	480
Net Income	320	280	480	Net Income	182	150	270
Depreciation	520	600	660	Depreciation	511	580	650
CapExp.	820	860	650	CapExp.	853	670	610
R&D	590	610	630	R&D	530	555	600
Interesting Bearing Debt	4,100	4,200	4,200	Interesting Bearing Debt	4,122	4,100	4,000
¥/\$ Rate	105	105	105	¥/\$ Rate	108	105	105



FDR-1 Revised Operating Income plan



FDR-1 Revised Sales Volume Plan



Thank you!



